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# EDITORIAL

Oh, hello, I didn't see you there. You must be wondering why I've gathered you all here.

No? Well, too bad.

With midterms drawn to a close, the city appointed a brand new figurehead, and the UTSU kerfuffle sealed away for the next nine to ten months. Toronto can't help but feel like a freshly cleaned public washroom. And, indeed, that is why I've called on you today.

Every public washroom needs its heroes; from the modern-day Odysseus who blinds the Cyclopean eye of the auto-flusher with toilet paper, to the drunken hooligan who, in a fit of clarity or gastral distress, elects not to write a bawdy joke on the stall door. It is these everyday heroes who hold the line against anarchy of the butt.

In a world where poop comes in many forms, it falls to people like you to wipe it out.

You may not think yourself

skilled enough for the job, and given your GPA I'd be hard-pressed to disagree. However, each of you presents a... unique skill set.

Like you, Guy Who Knows The Password to Every Common Room on Campus. Your dedication to playing foosball and literally never going home are an inspiration to us all. And you, Girl Who Only Comes to Class to Watch Seinfeld. I don't know how the fuck you made it to third year, but you just keep doing you.

As for me, beyond my uncanny ability to watch the Avengers three times in one sitting, I can also take any metaphor and relate it to poop.

It is these everyday superpowers which mark us from the norm, at least according to my therapist. We are, each one of us, the heroes of our own stories, and the faceless, forgettable side characters is everyone else's.



Today, I call upon you all to become our invisible heroes. How, you may ask? Easy.

Just don't be the guy who poops in the urinal. Seriously, I know it was you, Gary.

Fuck.

Stay tight,  
Colin Parker  
Editor-in-Chief

P.S. Oh shit, before you go, I need some help with my ECE345 assignment too. Anyone?

## WRITER'S BLOCK

Hello, everyone, and welcome to November.

This is it — the home stretch before exams. We've just got to power through this month, then through exams, then through next term, then through summer classes, then through another year, and... oh, fuck.

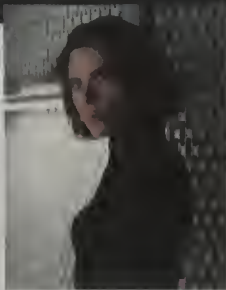
It isn't all bad, though. November is that magical time of year when frosh feel knowledgeable enough about U of T to speak about it as if they've been here their whole lives, and when students in their final year are prone to breaking down in

tears completely unprovoked at any moment (here's an extra-fun way to pass some time: ask a student graduating soon if they've got a job lined up post-graduation!).

Thankfully, we all have alcohol to turn to. Sure, alcohol might not really be your "thing," but let's face it: Come November, neither is sobriety.

Keep your chin up, kid.

Love always,  
Samantha Summers  
Senior Staff Writer



## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

I enjoyed the drawing featured in your editorial section with Toikeman drinking brandy like some kind of classy prostitute/policeman. Whoever drew it must be some kinda super-genius-art guy/lady, oh wait, I AM that guy/lady. If you are going to continue to lift my work without giving credit/hand bs I recommend that you grab Figure 1, from my

In all seriousness, you kids are doing a fine job. I'm glad to see Toikeman is still alive and well. Keep up the good work.

-Bryan Thompson  
EX-EX-EX-EX-EX Editor  
P.S. The TTC map shaped like a penis was lovely.

Dear Buttface Thompbtt,

That's a lovely offer Mr. Thompbtt, but I'm afraid I must decline your drawing of a literal box of dicks. The Toike does not need that. I'll leave it to you.

Colin

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Dear Editor,

I am a lawyer representing the interests of Mr. Bryan Thompson. I heard you were talking shit.

-J. Lawyer

Dear J.,

Oh, hahaha, about that. No, that's just a misunderstanding. Mr. Thompbtt, I mean Thompson, will be happy to accept your offer.

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### WHAT HO?

Toike Oike, as applied to film, theatre, and sometimes also video games, denotes a very popular or successful production. The entertainment industry use was originally theatrical slang referring to a particularly successful play, but is now used by the film industry and the pharmaceutical industry and others. The term "Toike" in film generally speaks to the size of both the narrative and the scale of production.

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# Student Unsure How to Capitalize Sentence Starting With "lol"

**Dinobot**

Toike Oike Romotextual

**E**ight-six billion years ago it seems, or 40 minutes in actual time, Aaron Shoychet received his latest text from Gillian Groves, an Innis girl miles out of his league he met at the tail end of a halloween party last night. Every second of this 40 minutes has been spent, of course, drafting a response, but Aaron has reached near-insurmountable roadblock he fears could spell the end of this unlikely dialog.

Gillian's last text reads, "Hopefully next time I'll be the captain," a sub-par joke referring to her excessive consumption of Captain Morgan brand spiced rum and subsequent impairment of both judgement and coordination. It is also a reference to how Aaron was dressed as a pirate at the party, although he would be the last to point out that he was actually dressed as a deckhand and not a captain.

This puts Aaron in a predicament; not laughing at the joke simply isn't an option, but if he laughs too much he thinks she will think he's laughing at her instead of with her. Aaron believes, after much consideration, that starting with "lol" is his best move. Therein, however, lays the real problem.

Gillian had so far capitalized every text she sent him so far. Aaron picked up on this immediately, matching the style to earn her respect, but bow will he then start a sentence with "lol"?

"Lol" looks far too lopsided, "LOL" is too forceful and once again could be construed as laughing at Gillian's drunken behaviour, and "LoL" does not look lopsided but does broach the



question of whether he is a League of Legends player and, should the conversation turn to it, make him have to decide whether or not to reveal that he no only knows what that is, but plays far more than his reputation or GPA would suggest.

When asked if Aaron might be overthinking things, he replied "of course I'm overthinking it. She's a solid 9 and I'm like a 6. I'm pretty sure the only reason I got her number in the first place is because she was drunk and thought I was actually good looking, so now is my only chance is to woo her with my natural charms and hope she doesn't see me until then."

Aaron was offered Gillian's

number after walking 45-minutes home in the pouring rain in the opposite direction from his apartment, a detail Aaron is still figuring out how to reveal considering that he told her that he lived "right by".

Fortunately for Aaron, the 40 minutes of text writing and rewriting that have transpired only benefit him; taking a while to respond to texts makes you seem cool and interesting, reports Aaron, and like walking a girl home and getting her number is not the best thing to happen to you all semester. Aaron claims to put strict 15 minute buffers on all text responses to girls, and 45 minute buffers if it's the first text

of the day.

As per the text, this reporter considered suggesting a message saying, "Then hopefully I can be your first mate," as it affirms the joke by continuing it, features innuendo, and alludes to meeting up a second time. In the interest of journalistic integrity, however, this reporter remained silent and allowed Aaron to continue his machinations.

Lecture is almost over anyway and both Aaron and this reporter have written nothing down.

More on this story as it develops.

## Mothers Protest Use of Antivirus Software

Cite risk of computers developing autism

**Mike Literus**

Toike Oike Virus Scammer

**P**rotests have erupted over the tenuous issue of anti-virus software being used on young computers. A series of studies by prolific medical bloggers assert that this software, which is designed to prevent infection in modern computers, poses a risk during early software development.

Companies like Norton and McAfee have found themselves besieged by concerned mothers. One protester interviewed by the Toike Oike was adamant that her son's new laptop had development issues because of the so called "protective software" he used.

"He says his computer works really slowly, which why he has



to spend hours in his room with the door closed while he checks his email. It's a tragic thing, and it has to be stopped."

Another concerned mother

expressed her concerns on a popular news aggregator. "If you just threw together some detection codes, built an application, and then uploaded

it onto someone's computer, you would be arrested! Why is it okay for software engineers to do it?"

The developers at Norton Internet Security have denied all accounts of danger to these computers.

"Wait, what? Why are we even talking about this? It's software. Machines can't get autism. Are you seriously covering this in a newspaper?"

The scientific community is divided on this issue. While there is no appreciable evidence linking autism with anti-virus software, having children is a comparable qualification to carrying a BA in any field of the mother's choosing, and it is likely that protests will continue for some time.

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# Invisible Man Mugged By Mimes

Witnesses report seeing nothing

**Virginia Cumming**  
Toike Oike Sunglasses Aficionado

TORONTO -

Last Thursday, pedestrians in the Jane and Finch area were left speechless by a spectacular street performance from a group of amateur mimes. Among the standard fare of acts, the group produced copies of All Quiet on the Western Front and Silence of the Lambs, seemingly out of thin air, and acted out famous scenes from the stories.

To delighted onlookers, it appeared to be just an above-average routine. In reality, this transparent street performance was something far more sinister - a brutal and violent mugging. The victim, 34-year-old Ralph Ellison, a full-time invisible man, reported the incident to 31st division shortly after it occurred Thursday afternoon.

"I stopped to watch them perform," Ellison said over the phone. "I mean, a mime's a terrible thing to waste, right? It was pretty okay - invisible box, umbrella in a hurricane. I remember thinking, 'Hey, these guys are pretty good.' Next thing I know, I'm being dragged by a guy in face paint, and he's taking my wallet and keys. And the audience

just turned a blind eye - out of sight, out of mimes!"

"They even took my library books. I mean, who the fuck would do something like that? The fines will be absolutely monstrous."

Police believe that this incident may be linked to a crime ring headed by a group known as the Land Mimes. Their leader, known only by "Marcel Marceau", is known for thinking outside the invisible box and has been charged with several counts of grand larceny in the past. However, the group has so far managed to silence any witness who would lead to their conviction.

Ellison reportedly received an intimidating call days after speaking with police. The line was quiet for three minutes, then the caller hung up.

"I've never been so scared in my life. I don't know what these guys are going to do to me."

The public is urged to be on the lookout for this gang of criminal master mimes. Police encourage exercising caution around anyone who enjoys wearing white face paint, striped shirts and berets, or seems just a little too quiet. Gang members are considered to be silent but deadly. Anyone with information is urged to come forward, or to call 1-800-867-5309.



*Pictured: an artist's depiction of the victim.*

We here at the Toike are hopeful that the thieves will be captured soon, though the arrest is bound to be awkward. Will the police still tell them they have the right to remain silent?

## News Briefs

### TTC to Encourage Healthier Lifestyles through "No Escalators" Plan

In an effort to improve health throughout the city, the Toronto Transit Commission has finally responded to complaints of broken escalators in subway stations. They claim that the non-functionality of the escalators is "totally intended" and is "definitely a health-conscious measure."

The TTC spokesperson also stated that service delays are part of a larger plan to encourage Torontonians to walk to their destinations. They claim that Spadina Station, where passengers must navigate a long corridor filled with dirty puddles, panhandlers, and saltwater crocodiles is their standard for active living.

When questioned about accessibility for the elderly and handicapped, the TTC was unable to be reached for a response.

### ISIS PEY Info Session Next Week

Next week, ISIS will be holding a PEY information session in 8aben for interested students. A number of ISIS representatives will be present to review current job openings and will be collecting resumes for next-day on-campus interviews.

ISIS will be looking for both new graduates interested in full-time work and PEY interns. Unfortunately, there will be no summer internships as "the Caliphate will be established in the West well before summer," and hiring managers are looking for dedicated individuals who will stick with the organization.

ISIS has a variety of positions available with differing salaries and travel requirements. According to an email from Abu Mosa, ISIS's former spokesman (now deceased), "ISIS is really a career-oriented organization. You won't just be here for a job, I mean, we have members that work here for the rest of their lives. For example, our suicide bombers. It's really the definition of an explosive field."

When asked about more technical jobs, Mosa indicated that ISIS is always looking for recruits to work on their proprietary applets and executables.

ISIS is primarily hiring in the Caliphate area, but those who are interested in domestic positions may apply online or at their office in downtown Toronto. Salary for domestic positions ranges from 20 months to life, depending on prior experience."

## Zombie Apocalypse Prank Goes Awry

3 drama students decapitated, 2 critically injured

**Matt Hatter**  
Toike Oike Undeaductor

Three University of Toronto students were killed yesterday morning and two more left critically injured after they were attacked with a machete by a fellow student in Residence Hall. The perpetrator, Adam Hatter (19), an Engineering student from Grimsby, ON, was quickly taken into custody. Reports indicate that the three students killed were, in fact, decapitated.

Kevin Grolsch (19), an Engineering student and erstwhile friend of Mr. Hatter, was also taken in for questioning. In a reluctant interview, Grolsch described what led up to the event.

"Adam is just such a nut about zombie movies and stuff. So I thought it would be a funny way to really scare him - to make him think zombies were actually real."

Grolsch had the occupants of their floor in Residence Hall leave quietly in the early hours of the morning, and enlisted five Drama students to moan and stagger through the dorm dressed with detailed zombie makeup.

"He'd always joke about what he'd do in the 'zombie apocalypse'

- his plan and stuff. We didn't know that he wasn't joking - we just didn't know," Grolsch whined.

According to the statement released by police last night, Mr. Hatter was woken by the moaning, and eventual impatient knocking, of the actors outside. Taking the machete he kept under his pillow, he opened his door and, noting the lurching figures, concluded that the building (and quite probably, the world) had been overrun by zombies. What followed was described as "remarkably efficient," as the two students that were in the hallway were promptly beheaded.

Mr. Hatter proceeded to the common room where three more "zombies" were pretending to feast on the "dead" Kevin Grolsch. After murdering another Drama student, Mr. Hatter only tentatively slashed at the others, finding their confusion and alarm uncharacteristic of the undead. The illusion was finally severed when the acquaintance Grolsch let out a choked "gotcha!"

Mr. Hatter, to his credit quickly called an ambulance and applied first aid to his victims.

A search of Mr. Hatter's room later revealed a hidden trove of weaponry - a Japanese katana,



*Hatter's legal defence notes that most students are basically zombies.*

several knives, a kevlar vest, and a mace. Also found on his person, were a set of throwing stars and a large screwdriver. Questions were further raised by the discovery of several cases of instant ramen and some textbooks on rudimentary construction - though these were later confirmed as typical for most Engineering students.

Police further concluded that Mr. Hatter could only have concealed such an essential collection of deadly weapons in his room due to an instability also typical for most Engineering students.

An inquest into the three killings will be held tomorrow, where a ruling of death by misadventure is expected to be given.

The statement issued by the police further noted the deep remorse felt by Mr. Hatter for the unfortunate victims of Kevin Grolsch's cruel joke and the dangers of playing upon understandable fears of a zombie apocalypse. Mr. Hatter also applauded the commitment of those victims, who had given him a newfound appreciation for the potential of student theatre.



# Windows 10 Released to Brave Reviews

Steven Seagull  
Toke Oike Brick Expert

Redmond, WA -

The tech world is drooling over the preview of Microsoft's newest desktop OS, Windows 10. Tech bloggers are eating up the revolutionary design, and the enterprise market seems to have finally found its appetite for an upgrade.

According to Windows division president Steven Sinofsky, Windows 10 features a fresh, retro design featuring the innovative UI of Windows 95, the security of Windows XP, and the speed and efficiency of Windows Vista.

"It's a great step forward in desktop computing. We listened to users' feedback, and what they really want is familiarity in a different colour. It was only logical to take all the best features of previous Windows editions, wrap it in a bundle of garish themes, and call it a new OS. Which it definitely is."

But Windows 10's dazzling interface and seemingly toothless mediocrity conceal its dark origins. An anonymous Microsoft software engineer has come forth with his suspicions.

"In the development process, we realized that we were witnessing Windows 7 cannibalizing the metro interface that we were carrying over into

the next edition of Windows. All the evidence points to the same disturbing conclusion: 7 quite literally ate 9. The start menu has mysteriously returned, but with a noticeable lump in its side in the shape of live tiles. And the new Desktops app opens windows that can launch apps that open in windows."

When presented with these accusations, Sinofsky denied everything, but used the opportunity to explain the benefit of nested apps and windows.

"Launching smaller windows within windows in Windows allows people to multitask without ever running out of screen space. It streamlines workflow and

increases efficiency, like toolbars on your browser. No more flipping between screens."

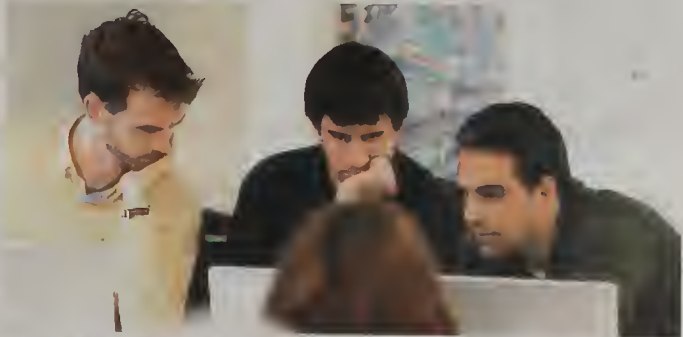
Microsoft's VP Marketing Jacques Lamontagne was also eager to focus on the improvements made in Windows 10. In his press release for the developers' preview, he claimed that "Windows 10 represents an exciting era for Microsoft, one in which we can finally compete with Apple in OS naming if nothing else. You should expect bigger, better cat-based names coming soon."

Of course, as with every Windows release, there is no shortage of dissent from the public. Tech blog Gad3tgeekr.

com released a rather biting statement.

"Windows 10 is the human centipede of operating systems. I had to confirm with Microsoft that we received the right disk after my laptop started to moan like a dying horse. The only good thing I noticed about the software is that any firewall on the market will do its best to prevent you from installing it."

Regardless of public opinion of Windows 10, one thing is certain: as long as manufacturers keep preinstalling Windows on new computers, consumers will be forced to swallow whatever rainbow-coloured shit Microsoft pumps out next.



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## TTC Streetcars: Not Street Enough?

Alex Blaine Layder  
Toke Oike Swag Correspondent

In an effort to revive the historically "street" ambience associated with their streetcars, the TTC has proposed several radical changes alongside the new fleet. The proposal comes after years of diminishing street cred after the TTC was forced to cut ties with the Ford Cartel.

"The new fleet will feature a fully chromed body capped with 24" spinning rims on the wheels," says Maria Augumeri, TTC Chair. "There's even red under-glow for maximum street cred."

To contrast the "quiet zone" found on the upper level of weekday GO Trains, the TTC has implemented a "rap zone" on all streetcars. In this zone, local artists will attempt to sell their mediocre mixtapes by obnoxiously shoving them in your face.

"It's amazing how the TTC provides me a captive audience that actually has to listen to me for their entire trip," says aspiring hip hop artist Micky Way. "I used to actually need talent to sell my tapes, but now people just give me money out of pure frustration."

The team of designers responsible for this design noted that passengers were already fine with trendy individuals blasting tinny music through their



speakers, so this was a logical upgrade. They also worked closely with a focus group to ensure that the needs of all riders were met.

"For our riders with accessibility needs, we have incorporated hydraulics that will make it easier for them to board the high cars. These hydraulics serve the double purpose of

rocking the cars to the beat of Kendrick Lamar to overshadow the bumps felt when running over pedestrians."

While some riders support the changes, others are calling them "too street" for the trendy posh locals. A group of TTC employees has gone as far as starting a strike to prevent changes to their

beloved workplace.

"The TTC used to be a safe environment where I could catch up on some sleep while on the clock," said one employee who wished to remain anonymous. "I used to only need to watch out for my boss, now I have to watch out for my life!"



### 2009: A Space Odyssey

We still haven't fully understood what this movie is trying to convey to its audience. For some odd reason, the "Pizza delivery guy" scene lasts 35 minutes, and unlike any other porn movie, no one has sex in it. Also, the scene when the guy finally finishes takes place on an intergalactic space mission, and while I've totally been there with the whole screaming-for-several-minutes after sex thing, I'm not sure people normally die afterward.

The fact that we couldn't understand anything about this masterpiece makes us think it has some deeper meaning. I'm sure the director knows what he's talking about. Great movie.



### Pump Fiction

We've always appreciated Tarantino's "trunk shots" in his movies, but believe me, you've never seen any like the ones in this movie. These shots pull the audience right into the movie and act as an ice-breaker between the director and the actor. Although there's some blood and unnecessary dialogue involved in the movie, Tarantino's surprise cameo appearance from under the bed makes this movie a solid 6.9/10.





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## Tit-anic

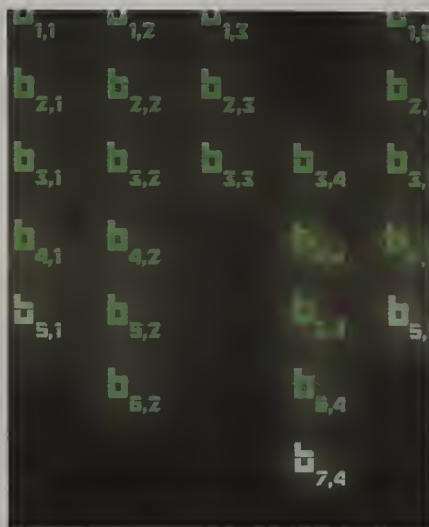
James Cameron has had this idea for decades, but he had to wait 18 years until technology was sufficient enough to turn this dream into reality. Each character in this four-hour masterpiece was filmed using motion-capture suits on location in a warehouse draped in green screens. Actor Leonardo DiCaprio described the challenges, noting that "Dry humping those motion-capture balls was the second hardest thing I had to deal with."

This movie has everything; love, sex, and a raunchy musical number featuring Pitbull. The original Titanic was just the tip (of the iceberg).

## Dye Hard

Inspired by real life events, this is an thrilling movie about "that keener frosh" who dyed himself from toe to tip. Having sacrificed his comfort in order to raise Skule spirit and awareness, this brave young man swears to convince at least 60% of his F!rosh group to dye their full body, and I must say the tale is inspiring. The scene where he walks under the rain to convince his friends to dye, only to have his own fade... it's enough to make you cry.

Rumors are already swirling that a sequel, Dye 2 Hard, is already in the works. It is thought to centre on a Head Leedur convincing her F!rosh group to Dye Hard, or die tryin'.



## The Matrix

Worst movie ever. Not only was the content boring and stale, the plot was completely incomprehensible. It feels like the directors just threw a bunch of linearly independent stories together without leaving any space for the important points. Neo's identity matrix looks like a big deal at first, but the antagonists just seem to multiply as if he wasn't there. I was looking forward to this movie based on the origin of the talent behind it, but it's pretty determinant that I was wrong.



## The Fast and the Furious: Toikeo Drift

Surprisingly, this movie involves no cars at all. This is a experimental POV movie shot with a phone camera by a drunk engineering student at Steins. Our protagonist gets kicked out of the bar for being too rowdy, and can't even drive home thanks to his all-too-familiar state of inebriation.

The level of detail in this movie is stunning. You can actually see the camera drift from side to side as the characters meander down College Street with an estimated 0.15 BAC. This exemplary film raises awareness to alcohol consumption and its benefits for having tons of fun at night with friends. For maximum realism, watch it in 3D and play a drinking game such as: drinking.

# Neil deGrasse Tyson Just Fucking With Us

Olly Swell

Toike Oike Science Man

Famous astrophysicist and host of *Cosmos* Neil deGrasse Tyson shocked fans last week after announcing that most of his purported "astonishing facts of nature" were completely fabricated.

After an extended debate about Pluto with a colleague, Tyson informed reporters that his opponent's mother had been reclassified as a dwarf planet. To his surprise, his claim was picked up by a variety of scientific publications.

"I've been pulling facts out of my ass for years," said Tyson. "It started when my buddy dared me to argue that butterflies hunt for sport. Can you believe that no one ever fact-checked me on that? And it wasn't long until I found myself cited in a graduate thesis!"

Tyson decided to fess up after the job at his colleague was taken seriously.

"I might as well give up while I'm on top. Jim will never hear the end of this one."

Other scientific writers have voiced their disapproval of Tyson, who was once invited to speak at a



variety of conferences.

"This whole thing is shameful," said Dr. Clarence Markov, a writer for *National Geographic*. "As a biologist, I work hard to teach the public about — ahahah, damn. A planet? I wish I'd thought of that one. The best I've done is convince people that fungi could think at low temperatures!"

Dozens of PhDs have admitted to fudging the truth in the interest of dares and being bored to tears by tedious calculations.

"Being a scientist is great,"

said Markov, "and I love to help people, but sometimes you just have to tell them that bacteria know when it's a Wednesday."

Tyson apologized for his actions, but noted that pathological lying is a condition associated with intelligence, and that he and many other scientists may never overcome it.

"I think it's terrible," said a fan. "People should know more about this condition. It's so neat to hear about stuff like this, especially from a famous scientist."

## POINT/COUNTERPOINT

Porn is harmful  
to society

VS Cool, but I don't  
watch porn

Porn has been proven to promote misogynist views in those who see it, men and women alike. It has been proven that porn producers aim to get their actors addicted to drugs and alcohol in order to better control their activities through unhealthy incentives. While promoting healthy attitudes toward sexuality is important and porn has this potential, the porn industry fails to achieve this, is highly dangerous, and promotes stigma toward sex workers. While the concept of porn is essentially harmless, the porn industry needs to change drastically in order for these more harmful effects to be minimized.

What? I've like, never watched porn. Who does that? I don't. Do people watch porn? I never see it around. I guess I just don't go to those parts of the internet. Weird, right? I'm probably like, the one person who doesn't watch porn. I have sex with real people all the time, anyway, so watching porn just wouldn't make sense for me. Oh, I've been doing great since the breakup, thanks for asking. Definitely haven't been watching porn! Wouldn't even know where to find it. What's that? Why does my search history have "RedTube" in it? I, uh, was looking for a communist YouTube. I definitely wasn't looking for free porn, because I don't watch porn.



## Moon More Suitable to Life than Frat Houses

Kate Middleton

Toike Oike Spaced Out Correspondent

A careful investigation initiated as a cooperative effort between graduate students with the departments of astronomy and biology at McGill university has found that the moon is a more hospitable environment to human life than most frat houses.

Said Susan Cho, who headed the study, "Sure, there's no oxygen on the moon. But there isn't space to breathe in frat houses either, and there's a lot less rampant bacteria covering every surface, too."

"You're also a lot less likely to get alcohol poisoning or herpes

from the moon," commented Amy Surti, an undergrad student who worked on the project. "So there's that."

Frats investigated throughout the study had tests run pre-parties, post-parties, Tuesday mornings, Wednesday afternoons, and Thursday nights, for eight months. The data collected was then carefully analyzed and contrasted with data from the moon.

"From a scientific perspective, these results are shocking," said Jason McGee, another graduate student who worked on the project. "From a personal perspective, I sort of saw this result coming."

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## America to Bring Democracy to UTSU

Oil rigs to replace vote rigs

**Harry T. Stickle**  
Toike Oike Politickler

Following heated discussions and several fist-to-face contacts, Uncle Sam has decided to get rid of the anti-democratic faction of the UTSU.

The UTSU AGM has been widely criticized for a lack of order, transparency, and fairness, and these criticisms have reached the ears of the Oval Office. Troops have already been deployed and are expected to arrive with provisions in a matter of weeks.

"We believe that the UTSU has stood as a bastion of tyranny for too long," said one White House representative. "It's our responsibility to stand up for people's rights."

Conveniently, during the evening of the UTSU AGM, officials from a surveying corporation based in Washington DC claimed to have found oil under the UTSU dome. It is

thought that the years of buried rivalries and alleged bodies has turned to oil under the pressures of student government.

White House spokespeople say that they plan to demolish the UTSU dome and transfer the board to a safe location where they cannot harm anyone else. However, student leaders on all sides have criticised this move.

"It's obvious that they are just using democracy as an excuse for their own interests," said one UTSU board member.

"Yeah," said a spokesperson from the Engineering Society. "Students won't sit by while someone else grandstands for their interests. All they want is a free, friendly, college-separated campus."

The UTSU representative took issue with this comment, and they were seen bickering over public opinion late into the night. Eyewitnesses report it was "pretty dumb" and "100% expected."

## Toike Science Corner: Schrödinger's Cock

"Is it in yet?"

**Jordan Miles**  
Toike Oike Chicken Butt

From Wikipedia:

Schrödinger's cock is a thought experiment, sometimes described as a paradox, devised by Austrian sex master Erwin Schrödinger in 1935. It illustrates what he saw as the problem of the Copenhagen interpretation of sex applied to everyday vaginas.

The scenario presents a cock

that may be both in and out of a vagina, depending on an earlier random event. Although the original "experiment" was imaginary, similar principles have been researched and used in practical applications. The thought experiment is also often featured in theoretical discussions of the interpretations of sex. In the course of developing this experiment, Schrödinger coined the term *Verschrankung* (entanglement).



**RUSSES SANS FRONTIERES**  
**RUSSIANS WITHOUT BORDERS**

## Victoria College Secedes from the University of Toronto

Still wealthier than U of T

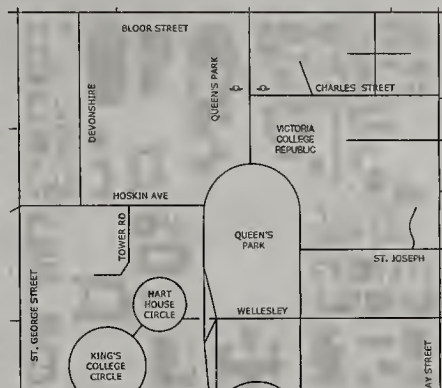
**Kate Middleton**  
Toike Oike Affluence Expert

TORONTO -

The University of Toronto's Victoria University recently announced their intention to secede from UofT, taking Victoria College and Emmanuel College with them. Said President Paul Gooch when asked for comment, "We were just sick of paying for literally every other college's initiatives." Victoria University owns Bloor Street West, a vineyard, and oil, and as such has a ridiculous amount of money that has been invested in other colleges and the UTSU.

Gooch, who is known among Victoria students for his excellent taste in socks, also indicated that this is "yet another way in which Victoria is outstripping Trinity College," and suggested that Trinity "just try to keep up" with Victoria.

This decision has been met with resounding support from Victoria University students. One third-year student expressed pleasure at the fact that "Vic students will no longer have to pretend not to have a superiority complex because of the university's exorbitant wealth and high average G.P.A." Victoria has held the reputation in the past



of a friendly college that, while full of high achievers, doesn't have the same exclusionary attitude as Trinity College. With this secession, students will no longer have to begrudgingly keep up this appearance.

While some have wondered how this will impact Victoria University's standings in national and international university rankings, and how the relationship between the University of Toronto and Victoria University will be

affected by this split, Victoria chancellor Wendy Cecil hinted that there would be no problem at all.

"While I'm not allowed to say anything very official just yet," said Cecil, "it is well within our current budget to purchase the entirety of the University of Toronto."

Incidentally, this would leave Victoria University just enough money to put a down payment on Ryerson University as well.

## Health Services to Add Hangover Wing

**Vinnie Briey**  
Toike Oike Party Animal

TORONTO -

The University of Toronto's Health Services has announced a new addition to its roster of student care. Starting Spring 2015, the Koffler Student Services building will be devoting an entire wing to students suffering from hangovers.

Health Services has promised a variety of treatment options, including an open bar for "hair of the dog" therapy, soundproof darkrooms, and workshops on how to apologize for drunken voicemails.

"It was the appropriate thing to do," according to one Health

services physician. "Every semester we see thousands of hangover cases go untreated, and not just during Firob Week. I'm talking from the first week of class through midterms, finals, Reading Week, the Winter break. Sometimes even at 3:00 PM on a Wednesday. Frankly, we're not sure if one wing is going to be enough."

Despite the apparent need for a day-after clinic, many students of the University feel that the cost of this facility is far too steep. In the official press release, the University revealed its plans to offset the cost of these new services by cutting sex education, STI clinics, and contraceptives.

"It has long been apparent that

the students at the University of Toronto are in dire need of anti-hangover measures such as these," the release stated. "Engineers in particular are far less likely to get lucky than they are to get drunk, so the current projections of demands for family planning workshops and related services are simply overoptimistic."

Renovations are currently underway, and Health Services is expecting to open trial clinics as early as February. If successful, these clinics could soon be expanded to include students suffering from "bad trips", overdoses of energy drinks, and those who literally can't even.

# The Devil Has Yet to Come to My Séance

An open letter to Park Dale satanists

**Dion Arnold**  
Toike Oike Warshipper

Fellow Satanists, What am I doing wrong? Halloween has come and gone again as it always does, fruitlessly. This year as with all years, my dear lover has not come to me. The one whom I've yearned for since that first day of costuming, candy getting and blood rituals.

The Devil has once again stood me up on our one day of days. Why does he not return and defend my honour against the old fat St. Nixon at Eaton Center? Why will the Devil still not rise and care for my body as the rituals I perform on the neighbourhood cats say he will? Someone please help save Halloween for me!

When will this demon sate my desires for Christian suffering and turn this world into my own personal tough-mudder for the non-believers?

I can not keep this pace for another 40 years. 12 of the standard ingredients have gone extinct since my beginnings in the cauldron stirring profession and these neighbourhood cats are getting more and more expensive to replace.

I really wish they wouldn't expect replacement cats...

I should really stop replacing their cats. I guess I would be doing less replacing if I stopped selling out and offering front row seats, but at least they get a chance to have their cats' blood back.

Oh, I just want to roll in the daisy fields with my darling Devil! Satanist's PLEASE arise with me! Call on our lord and Master, beg and plead with me!

Pray that the bonds that hold my body on this earth be the ones he use to choke me! Pray with me that he fit his big black soul stack into my small backyard ritual pit. If he is the master puppeteer of this world, let him cut the strings. I want to feel his hand.

IT TOOKIHNA TAIRHK!

...Well, I guess my game plan must change. For 40 years I've tried to bring him to me. It's about time that I made the effort to get to him. Well, here goes. The whole reason I wrote this letter to you all. As this will serve as my last correspondence before my departure to the underworld, I must ask one thing of you all.

Does anyone know a good ride share program to the underworld? Willing to split gas but no way am I paying ALL of it.

# Hacker "4chan" Takes Down Portal

Threatens to leak Rosi's photos

**Amir Khata**  
Toike Oike Photography "Enthusiast"

TORONTO — Thousands of students were left slack-jawed when they logged in to their portal this morning to see no sign of the old U of T portal. According to reports, the hacker known as "4chan" has claimed responsibility for taking down the portal and replacing it with a Tetris battle page. The attack took place at 3:20 AM on Monday morning, during Rosi's maintenance hours.

During an exclusive interview, "4chan" explained the logistics of his attack to Toike.

"I found out that Rosi is actually short for Rosalind O'Doherty, a 90-year old Irish janitor who maintains the ECF server room. The Rosi maintenance hours are when she washes the servers with a hose," said 4chan. "When I walked in, she didn't even seem to notice my presence. I did also get to snap a few private photos of Rosi which I will be releasing later this year."

Early reports suggest that many students have embraced the new website.

"I love it," said Jacob Shen, when asked about the website. "It doesn't crash nearly as much and there are no maintenance hours. I only went to ECF to play Tetris anyway".

Jacob is not the only student in favor of the new website.

"Logging into portal and Rosi and seeing my grades used to bring me nothing but despair," Daniel Simonic recalls. "But now whenever I type in utonto.ca, I see shiny Tetris blocks. I feel like a kid in a playground again!", he added.

University of Toronto's Campus Police has already started an investigation to find the identity of the infamous hacker "4chan."

He refused to reveal the names of the suspects but unconfirmed reports suggest that Dominic Chan, Rhonda Chan, Mustafa Chan and North Chan are among the suspects.

# Man Saved by High School English

The pen is mightier than the AK-47

**Very Real Nigerian Prince**  
Toike Oike Evangelingust

KABUL —

After being captured by suspected members of the Taliban early last week, American journalist Jesse Sinclair was released a mere two days later. The journalist credits this release on his persisting knowledge of high-school-level English.

Sinclair, a native Minnesota resident, was taken hostage during an insurgent raid near the Federally Administered Tribal Area (FATA) in the Paktika province near the Pakistan border. Though an official video was released by the organization, Sinclair was found at a U.S. forwarding base the very next day.

"I was locked up without food and water for the most part", he recounted. "Eventually they dragged me to a tent. One of them, a tall guy wrapped in ammunition

belts came up to me and pressed his gun at my head, screaming at me in Pashto to get down. I felt the rust of the gun barrel scraping my forehead. He then yelled at me in English, 'In Hamlet! Does the old king's ghost, or spirit, truly appear to Hamlet? Or is it a psychological delusion — born of wish fulfillment, anxiety, or despair? Answer me or I shoot!'"

"Luckily, because I read the play in high school, I was able to easily answer him back in a five paragraph essay style response, complete with three sub-points and clear, supportive evidence from the text. They immediately untied me and dropped me off near the base."

Sinclair later stated that he always questioned whether what he learned in high school English was useful, and said that now he has no doubt that it does. He will be returning back to the U.S. next week.

# Texts from Dad

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< Messages Dad Details

Today 4:15 AM

Hey, did you hear about the icefisher who spun out on his snowmobile?

Please don't

He had too much angular momentum :-)

Today 4:17 PM

A man was actually whining about his escargot at the restaurant.

His waiter just shrugged and said that all snails are final

This is why mom left.



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# Toikifieds

## Missed Connections

You: 5'8" with dark hair and green eyes, wearing jeans and peacoat. Me: blue t-shirt with my pants around my ankles in the Sanford Fleming first floor bathroom's handicapped stall. You met my eyes through the gap in the bathroom stall and didn't look away, but when I exited the stall you had already left. I think we could be friends, or maybe more.

Me: Black suit with a blue and gold tie at the subway. You: 300m long and 3m high with white and green paint. I tried to catch you about an hour ago but you'd already left Union Station. I think I heard someone call you "Lakeshore East". Please come back! I have an interview in Picking in 45 minutes.

## Obituaries

ROB BIRONAS, September 20th 2014. The Ex-Titan's kicker gave a 40-yard boot to the bucket, laces out, with a blood alcohol level higher than his longest field goal attempt. The autopsy relieved he was high on Valium (not a proper performance enhancing drug). Rob crashed his car like he crashed his career, with a lead foot and only inches to go.

## Wanted

Members for Concrete Shoe club. Will explore new frontier of fashion and engineering by designing, mixing, forming and showcasing concrete footwear in variety of styles. NOT A MOB VENTURE. MAFIA NEED NOT APPLY.

One sixty-inch triple chrome-plated adjustable pipe wrench, needed ASAP. Previous one stolen by U of T is totally fine, bahaha. Contact University of Waterloo Engineering Society. Discretion is required. We'll pay you anything you want.

## Lost

Looking for son, 20yrs old, East Indian from Assam. Came to Toronto to study and hasn't phoned home since Frosch week, except for drunken voicemails. Starting to suspect he has joined a fraternity house. Son, if you read this, those parties of yours had better not affect your grades. And get a haircut. You will make your mother cry.

## Business

Winter is meant to be enjoyed, not suffered. Are you all snowed in? Call White Flower at:

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# Toike Writer Pitches Article, Asshole Editor Rejects It

I.P. Here  
Toike Oike Defector

After submitting an idea for an article earlier this month, a Toike Oike writer was shocked to find his suggestion rejected by the paper's Editor-in-chief, Colin Parker.

Parker was allegedly in a drunken stupor when he decided to filter through proposed articles for the Toike. Neighbours reported hearing "evil laughter" and "very angry mouse clicks" around 3:00 a.m. on the night the article idea was rejected.

"He took so much pleasure in rejecting each and every

suggestion," said an anonymous witness, who may be fictional. "You could tell he really wanted to crush his writers' dreams."

Further investigation into the Editor-in-queef revealed links to the U of T fascist groups like the BFC and the U of T Bookstore. Police have also warranted a search of Parker's home in Mordor, Middle Earth, but have so far been unable to surpass the army of goblins and undead barricading his front door.

I THOUGHT THIS WAS A PLACE FOR FREE-THINKING INDIVIDUALS TO MAKE DICK JOKES, COLIN. COME ON.



## TOIKEOSCOPES



ARIES

You might be thinking that this astrology business is a total load of nonsense, but it just so happens that's exactly what we predicted Capricorns would be thinking this month.



TAURUS

Listen closely to your heart. Closer. Hear that? It's the sound of people laughing at you for trying to stick your ear to your chest.



GEMINI

Your illustrious career of internet piracy will come full circle after British Naval forces break into your room, shoot your laptop with muskets, toss you in the brig, and sail back to London.



CANCER

Don't worry, you aren't sick. That itching sensation in your mouth is just a parasite replacing your tongue with its nest.



LEO

A million dollars isn't cool, you know what is cool? A billion dollars. In student debt. Thanks, U of T.



VIRGO

Your ex broke your heart, so get back at them by heading to the bar and breaking your liver as well.



LIBRA

Try and keep your chin up kiddo, it'll help make your massive forehead a little less obvious.



SCORPIO

Let's just hope that Beethoven was being cheeky when he wrote "Symphony 11: An Ode To Scorpions And The Falling Planos That Brutally Kill Them"



SAGITTARIUS

This month you're going to shatter a personal record.

Wait, how many naked people above the age of 60 did you see last month?



CAPRICORN

You will find true love this month, but it may cost you \$50 and a trip to Zanzibar.



AQUARIUS

This month you will be caught masturbating to Facebook profile pictures. Specifically, your own.



PISCES

Did you know that Pisces is an anagram for Pisces? It's true.

## Want to join the Toike? Read this Black Box!

Get involved with your friendly neighbourhood Toike Oike! Anyone can join. It doesn't matter what year, faculty, discipline, or college you're a part of; if you can read this then you're good enough for us.

Are you fairly hilarious? Can you photoshop like a boss? Can you draw or sketch? Do you have an appreciation for humour? Do you have writing experience and want to try your hand at humour writing? Do people think you're funny but you're far too-modest to ever admit that you're a funny person? Do you have the mad English skills required to pick out our typos and grammar follies?

If you answered "yes" to ANY of the above questions, we could definitely use a person like you!

Head over to [www.toike.skule.ca/join](http://www.toike.skule.ca/join) and get on the mailing list!

You'll be automatically notified of any and all upcoming meeting dates, times, and locations.

Meetings are where we work on the Toike. They're filled with great friends, good times, and tons of free shit like food and Rages.

